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Sriramsagar Project – Appointment of the displaced persons under Sriramsagar Project as Lascars on outsourcing basis – Orders – Issued.

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IRRIGATION & C.A.D.(PW:LA.IV-R&R) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No. 34\_\_\_\_

<u>Dated: 20-02-2009.</u> <u>Read the following:-</u>

- 1) G.O.Ms.No.98, Irrigation & C.A.D.(PW) Department, dated 15-4-1986.
- 2) From the Administrator-cum-Chief Engineer, Sriramsagar Project, Hyderabad, Letter No.ACE/SRSP/E/1344/2000, dated 15-10-2007.
- 3) From the Administrator-cum-Chief Engineer, Sriramsagar Project, Hyderabad, Letter No.ACE/SRSP/E/1344/2000, dated 24-11-2008.
- 4) Representation received through CMP No.3228/GEN/2008, dated 12-8-2008 submitted by Sri Banda Venkata Reddy and Sri Vadluri Rajamallu, Mumpu Gramala Nirudyogula Porata Samithi, Karimnagar District.

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## ORDER:

In the G.O.1<sup>st</sup> read above, it is mentioned that not more than 50% of the vacancies of the categories equivalent to Junior Assistants / Typists / and the cadres below arising in Major & Medium Irrigation & Power Projects shall be filled up by the displaced families / or their dependants of a respective Project duly following the reservations for various categories viz., SC, ST, BC, Ex-Serviceman, Physically Handicapped & Meritorious Sportsman etc.

- 2. In the reference 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> read above, Administrator-cum-Chief Engineer, Sriramsagar Project, Hyderabad has reported that as per G.O.Ms.No.29, Irrigation & C.A.D.(Ser.V) Department, dated 19-3-1996, the SRSP Stage-I will come under Non-Delta category according to which about 854 lascars are required as per yardsticks laid down. Further, against 854 posts of Lascars, the Administrator-cum-Chief Engineer, Sriramsagar Project has requested for permission to fill up at least 419 posts of Lascars by the displaced persons to look after smooth functioning of water regulation in SRSP-I. It has been further reported that the posts of Lascars are quite essential and due to dearth of field staff such as Dy.EEs/AEEs/AEs / Work Inspectors/Lascars it is becoming difficult to implement water regulation as per policy.
- 3. He has further informed that it is inevitable and quite essential to sanction 854 posts of Lascars in the SRSP stage-I as most of the Lascars/NMRs are going to retire from service in near future. Further these posts are to be made permanent in nature as long as the Sriramsagar Project exists and that with out Lascars the water regulation could not be implemented smoothly. To avoid complaints from the farmers, Public representatives and for proper water regulation these posts are quite essential since the Lascars are the primary workers to look after proper water regulation. Further, in other projects the Lascar posts are sanctioned posts.

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- 4. The Administrator-cum-Chief Engineer, Sriramsagar Project has stated that in many cases the Hon'ble High Court / A.P. Administrative Tribunal have passed orders for appointment of the displaced persons. In certain Court cases the Secretary to Government, Irrigation & C.A.D.Department as well as Chief Engineer and District Collectors were also called for their personal appearance in the Hon'ble High Court / A.P.Administrative Tribunal regarding providing employment to the displaced persons. However, due to non availability of vacancies in the Sriramsagar Project organization employment could not be provided to the displaced persons and Administrator-cum-Chief Engineer, Sriramsagar Project has requested permission to fill up 419 pots of Lascars by the displaced persons, so that the orders of High Court / A.P.Administrative Tribunal can be implemented to avoid further legal complications. This will also once and for all solve the problem of employment to displaced persons in Sriramsagar Project pending since long time.
- 5. Government after careful examination of the proposal of Administrator-cum-Chief Engineer, Sriramsagar Project, Hyderabad hereby direct Administrator-cum-Chief Engineer, Sriramsagar Project to furnish the seniority list approved by the District Collector & Chairman of Selection Committee, Karimnagar / Nizamabad vide letter No.G1/1113, dated 25-3-2008 of the displaced persons to the concerned authorities of Water Users Associations with a request to engage the displaced persons as Lascars duly following the roster points and as per the requirement of Water Users Association's on outsourcing basis on consolidated payment for which financial assistance shall be provided from the Government funds with the following conditions:
  - (a) The Lascars who are going to be considered for appointment on out sourcing basis as Lascars will have to work under supervision of Water Users Associations on Water Regulation and Maintenance.
  - (b) The Salaries of the above said Lascars shall be paid by the concerned Water Users Association by obtaining a proper acknowledgement of their performance of duty countersigned by the concerned Section Officer.
  - (c) The required L.O.C. for payment of these Lascars shall be released by the concerned Head of Department and the requisite amount shall be deposited into the joint account opened in a recognized scheduled bank in the joint name of Deputy Executive Engineer (Irrigation) and concerned Water User Association. The audit of the wages disbursement to the Lascars shall be done by concerned Divisional Accounts Officer of the same Division / authorized official who officiates the Divisional Accounts Officer duties of the Divisions concerned.
  - (d) The Administrator-cum-Chief Engineer, Sriramsagar Project, Karimnagar is also directed to appoint the above displaced persons in suitable posts as and when regular vacancies arise in the project strictly following the roaster points and the Government Orders in vogue.

6. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance (SMPC) Department, vide their U.O.No.3418/190/A3/SMPC/09, dated 7-2-2009.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

ADITYA NATH DAS, SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

The Administrator-cum-Chief Engineer, Sriramsagar Project, Hyderabad. The District Collector, Karimnagar / Nizamabad. The Commissioner (R&R), Irrigation & C.A.D.Department, Budda Bhavan, Secunderabad.

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